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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION LIST

FROM: HQ AFMC/PK
4375 Chidlaw Road, Room S208
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SUBJECT: INTERIM CHANGE-FY03-01 to the AFMCFARS

1. Pursuant to FAC 2001-12 and SAF/AQC Contract Policy Memo 03-C-03, Delegation of Authority for Procurements for Defense against or Recovery from Terrorism or Nuclear, Biological, Chemical or Radiological Attack dated 21 Feb 03, the AFMCFARS is changed as follows:

a. For Other Contracting, the authority to make the determination specified in FAR 12.102(f)(1) is delegated to the SCCO without power of further redelegation.

b. For Other Contracting, the authority to make the determination specified in FAR 13.201(g)(1) is delegated to the SCCO without power of further redelegation.

c. For Other Contracting, the authority to make the determination specified in FAR 19.805-1(b)(3), 19.903(b)(3) and 19.1306(c)(1) is delegated to the SCCO without power of further redelegation.

2. This interim change expires on 25 Nov 03.

3. Delegation of this authority for PEO and DAC programs is within the purview of the PEOs and DACs who are designated HCAs for their programs.

4. Direct any questions regarding this interim AFMCFARS change to Rosanne Romanchek at 937-257-7421 or DSN 787-7421, or rosanne.romanchek@wpafb.af.mil.

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Attachment:
SAF/AQC Contract Policy Memo 03-C-03, 21 Feb 03

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Contract Policy Memo 03-C-03

MEMORANDUM FOR ALMAJCOM/FOA/DRU (CONTRACTING)

FROM: SAF/AQC
1060 Air Force Pentagon
Washington, DC 20330-1060

SUBJECT: Delegation of Authority for Procurements for Defense against or Recovery from
Terrorism or Nuclear, Biological, Chemical or Radiological Attack (FAC 2001-12)

The Federal Acquisition Regulation Council issued Federal Acquisition Circular (FAC) 2001-12 on January 24, 2003 as an interim rule implementing Sections 852 through 856 and Section 858 of the Homeland Security Act (Public Law 107-296). The FAC increases the amount of the micro-purchase threshold and the simplified acquisition threshold for procurements.

The FAC also provides for streamlined procedures for acquisition of supplies and services, as determined by the head of the agency, to use to facilitate defense against or recovery from terrorism or nuclear, biological, chemical, or radiological attack.

This head of the agency authority is delegated to the Head of the Contracting Activities (HCA) as described in Air Force Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (AFFARS) 5301.601 (a)(i). HCAs may delegate this authority no lower than the Buying Office Contracting Official or the chief of the contracting office, as defined in AFFARS 5302.101.

Direct any questions to Mr. David Powell, SAF/AQCP, DSN 425-7062 or (703) 588-7062.


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